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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Richard S. BICE et al.

Application No.: 09/879,816

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For: AUTOMATED MESSAGE HANDLING  
SYSTEM AND PROCESS

) **Mail Stop AF**  
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) **Group Art Unit: 2143**  
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) **Examiner: J. Avellino**  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Sir:

All finally rejected claims in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated April 21, 2005 are hereby appealed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

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Respectfully submitted,

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